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REISSUE APPLICATION DECLARATION BY THE INVENTOR

Docket Number (Optional)
ATM-2129

As a below named inventor, I hereby declare that:

My residence, mailing address and citizenship are stated below next to my name.

I believe I am the original, first and sole inventor (if only one name is listed below) or an original, first and joint inventor (if plural names are listed below) of the subject matter which is described and claimed in patent number 5,919,561 granted July 6, 1999, and for which a

reissue patent is sought on the invention entitled REFLECTOR WITH RESISTANCE SURFACE

the specification of which

☒ is attached hereto.

☐ was filed on _____ as reissue application number _____ / _____
and was amended on _____
(If applicable)

I have reviewed and understand the contents of the above identified specification, including the claims, as amended by any amendment referred to above.

I acknowledge the duty to disclose information which is material to patentability as defined in 37 CFR 1.56.

I verily believe the original patent to be wholly or partly inoperative or invalid, for the reasons described below. (Check all boxes that apply.)

☒ by reason of a defective specification or drawing.

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At least one error upon which reissue is based is described below. If the reissue is a broadening reissue, such must be stated with an explanation as to the nature of the broadening:

The error is that line 28 of column 8 of U.S. Patent No. 5,919,561 states that the individual protective layers are typically 1nm thick, preferably from 40 to 200 nm thick, which defectively states the thickness range of the individual protective layers (that is, typically from 1 nm thick).

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All errors corrected in this reissue application arose without any deceptive intention on the part of the applicant. As a named inventor, I hereby appoint the following attorney(s) and/or agent(s) to prosecute this application and transact all business in the United States Patent and Trademark Office connected therewith.

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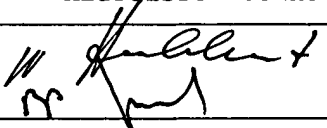
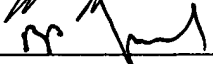
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REISSUE APPLICATION: CONSENT OF ASSIGNEE; STATEMENT OF NON-ASSIGNMENT		Docket Number (Optional) ATM-2129
#13		
This is part of the application for a reissue patent based on the original patent identified below.		
Name of Patentee(s) Roman FUCHS, Gerhard SCHOTTNER, and Johannes Martin SANDROCK		
Patent Number 5,919,561	Date Patent Issued July 6, 1999	
Title of Invention REFLECTOR WITH RESISTANT SURFACE		
<p>1. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Filed herein is a statement under 37 CFR 3.73(b). (Form PTO/SB/96)</p> <p>2. <input type="checkbox"/> Ownership of the patent is in the inventor(s), and no assignment of the patent is in effect.</p> <p>One of boxes 1 or 2 above must be checked. If multiple assignees, complete this form for each assignee. If box 2 is checked, skip the next entry and go directly to "Name of Assignee".</p> <p>The written consent of all assignees and inventors owning an undivided interest in the original patent is included in this application for reissue.</p>		
The assignee(s) owning an undivided interest in said original patent is are <u>Alusuisse Technology & Management, Ltd.</u> and the assignee(s) consents to the accompanying application for reissue.		
Name of assignee/inventor (if not assigned) XXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXX Alusuisse Technology & Management, Ltd.		
Signature 1)  2) 	Date 1) <u>June 26, 2001</u> 2) <u>June 26, 2001</u>	
Typed or printed name and title of person signing for assignee (if assigned) 1) Hans Burkhart, Manager 2) Samuel Gernet, Manager		

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STATEMENT UNDER 37 CFR 3.73(b)

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Applicant/Patent Owner: Alusuisse Technology & Management, Ltd.Application No./Patent No.: 5,919,561 Filed/Issue Date: July 6, 1999Entitled: REFLECTOR WITH RESISTANT SURFACEAlusuisse Technology & Management, Ltd., a Corporation (of Switzerland)(Name of Assignee)
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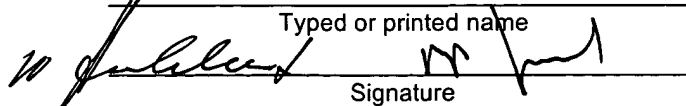
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The undersigned (whose title is supplied below) is authorized to act on behalf of the assignee.

June 26, 2001
Date

Hans Burkhardt Samuel Gernet
Typed or printed name



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